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**SOCOTECO II**

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## **THIRD PARTY BIDS & AWARDS COMMITTEE**

### **SUPPLEMENTAL BID BULLETIN NO. 03**

**TO THE BID DOCUMENTS FOR THE**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Round OF THE COMPETITIVE SELECTION PROCESS (CSP) FOR THE  
85,000 MWH/YEAR INTENDED FOR RENEWABLE PORTFOLIO STANDARD  
(RPS)**

This Bid Bulletin shall form part of the Bid Documents to the same extent as though it were originally included therein. Issued this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 2022.

#### **Item no. 1: TOR ITEM NO. 4-KIND OF POWER PLANT**

Additional Requirement is that *SOCOTECO II will allow non-Renewable Energy (RE) Eligible Power Plant provided that it should be RE Power Plant and can comply to the REC.*

#### **Item no. 2: TOR ITEM NO. 10-EFFECTIVE TARIFF**

Correction to the Requirement ,10<sup>th</sup> bullet, that it should be *"Present levelized cost of electricity for the 15 years term"*.

#### **Item no. 3: TOR ITEM NO. 12-START OF SUPPLY OR COMMERCIAL OPERATION DATE (COD)**

Correction to the Requirement that the First delivery energy to SOCOTECO II will be on the January, 2024-assuming ERC approval for the PSA...

#### **Item no. 4: ITB-1 SCOPE OF THE PROCUREMENT PROCESS**

1.3 The successful Bidder will supply the power requirement (See Annex A) of SOCOTECO II Renewable Portfolio Requirements for maximum of 85,000 MWh annual energy, starting January, 2024 to January, 2039.

#### **Item no. 5: ITB-15 CURRENCIES OF BID AND PAYMENTS**

15.3 Payments by the Buyer for foreign component must be in Philippine Peso (Php) currency.



**Item no. 6: SUPPLEMENTAL TO ITB – PROTEST MECHANISM AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

In reference to the DOE **DC2018-02-0003** Section 13. Protest Mechanism and Dispute Resolution stated as follows:

*"13.1. Decision of the TPBAC, Joint TPBAC or TPA at any stage of the CSP may be questioned by filing a written request for reconsideration within three (3) calendar days upon receipt of written notice or upon verbal notification. The TPBAC, Joint TPBAC or TPA shall decide on the request for reconsideration within seven (7) days from receipt thereof.*

*In the event, that the request for reconsideration is denied, decisions of the TPBAC, Joint TPBAC or TPA may be protested in writing to the governing board of the DU or its duly authorized officer/s.*

*The protest must be filed within seven (7) calendar days from receipt of the resolution denying its request for reconsideration. A protest shall be made by filing a verified position with the governing board of the DU or its duly authorized officer/s, accompanied by the payment of a non-refundable protest fee which shall be determined by the concerned TPBAC, Joint TPBAC or TPA.*

*The verified position paper shall contain the following information: name if bidder, address, name of project, brief statement of facts, issue to be resolved and such other matters and information pertinent and relevant to the proper resolution of the protest.*

*The position paper is verified by an affidavit that the affiant has read and understood the contents thereof and that all allegations therein are true and correct of his personal knowledge or based on authentic records. An unverified position paper shall be considered unsigned and produces no legal effect and non-payment of protest fee will result to the outright dismissal of the protest.*

*Protests shall be resolved within seven (7) calendar days from receipt thereof. Decision of the governing board of the DU or its duly authorized officer/s shall be final. Court action may be resorted to after protests have been resolved with finality."*

And/or, in reference to Department Circular NO. **DC2021-09-0030** Section 13. Protest Mechanism and Dispute Resolution stated as follows:

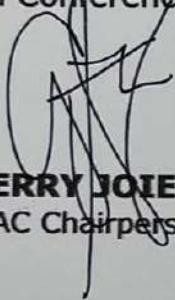
*13.2. In the event that the request for reconsideration is denied, decisions of the TPBAC/TPA may be protested in writing to the BOD or its duly authorized officer/s. The protest must be filed within seven (7) calendar days from receipt of the resolution denying its request for reconsideration. A protest shall be made by filing a verified position paper with the BOD or its duly authorized officer/s, and serving a copy of the position paper to the DOE and NEA, in case of ECs. The verified position paper must be accompanied by the payment of a non-refundable protest fee which shall be determined by the concerned TPBAC/TPA."*

Further, this Supplemental Reference will be the Rule XVII-Protest Mechanism under **IRR-RA9184** Section 55 only in so far as is non-refundable protest fee, paid in cash in accordance with the following:

<b>ABC RANGE</b>	<b>PROTEST FEE</b>
50 million and below	0.75% of the ABC
More than 50 million to 100 million	500,000.00
More than 100 million to 500 million	0.5% of the ABC
More than 500 million to 1 billion	2,500,000.00
More than 1 billion to 2 billion	0.25% of the ABC
More than 2 billion to 5 billion	5,000,000.00
More than 5 billion	0.1% of the ABC

For guidance and information of all concerned.

Let copies of these be given to the Prospective Bidders, DOE and NEA who attended the Pre-Bid Conference.



**ATTY. CHERRY JOIE LIMA-PONCE**  
TPBAC Chairperson